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AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the title of the Application at page 1, line 1, with the following

title:

"PROSTATE CARCINOMA TUMOR ANTIGEN-1 EXPRESSING MOUSE"

Please <u>replace</u> the paragraph on page 5, between lines 5-18 with the following paragraph:

FIGURE 1A-[[C]] E. Genomic structure of PCTA-1. (A) Exons encoding

the PCTA-1 mRNA are represented approximately to scale by open rectangles.

Designation is indicated within or adjoining to and size in bp below the respective exon.

Translation start and stop codon positions, the 5' and 3' UTRs and regions of the gene

encoding conserved structural or functional elements present in the protein shown are

above the relevant exons. CRD1 is referred to herein as the "first" CRD, and CRD2 is

referred to herein as the "second" CRD. The non-coding or coding portion of an exon

containing mixed UTR and coding sequence in the same exon and two known alternative

spliced exons are highlighted by curly parentheses. (B) The 5' and 3' exonic sequences at

splice junction boundaries has been tabulated with the corresponding exon number and

coordinates of the cDNA sequence. (C) Alternate exons 1 (7') (SEQ ID NO:4) and 2 (7")

(SEQ ID NO:5). (D) Amino acid sequence of PCTA-1 (SEQ ID NO:6) showing exon

boundaries and subpeptides SEQ ID NOS: 9-17. (E). Amino acid sequence in the

approximate region encoding the second CRD (SEQ ID NO:7).

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Please <u>replace</u> the paragraph on page 8, between lines 10-12 with the following paragraph:

FIGURE 9A-B. Nucleic acid sequence of PCTA-1 encoding cDNA, as contained in GenBank Accession No. L78132 and SEQ ID NO: 3. The coding region extends between nucleotides 54 and 1004.